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Hongkong, 14th September, 1874.

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Hongkong, 24th August, 1874.

Agents for the Bale of their Goods in

tf 419 Hongkong, January, 1867.

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Arrivals.	Banks.	To be Let.	Auctions.	Intimations.	Intimations.	Intimations.
Sept. 20, Aldebaban, German bark, 361, P. E. W. Maack, Newchwang 7th Septem- ber, Beans.—Siemssen & Co.	CORPORATION.	With possession on the 1st July, B. DOULDER LODGE, at present in the oc-		SILBER LAMPS.	NOTICE. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Members	CITY HAL MISS CARRY GEOR
Semple, Newchwang 11th September, Beans.—Yur-roomg-loons.	Court of Directors:-	Apply to G. EALCONER. tf 833 Hongkong, 29th Flay, 1874.	the 24th September, 1874, at 2 o'clock P.M., at	Genuius La Ferme's OIGARETTES.		
ept. 21, Joachin Cheistian, German bark, 457, H. C. Reimer, Newchwang 13th	Ad. Andre, Esq. A. F. Heard, Esq.	LNRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN on	No. 9. Seymour Terrage, The Property of a Gentleman giving up House- keeping,—	TARGET VERTICAL SERF.	EDWAND BEART, Hongkong, 22nd September, 1874	THIS (TUESDAY) EVEN
September, Beans.—WM. PUSTAU & Co. lept. 21, Macao, Peruvian ship, 603, Or- maeches, Amoy 18th September, Gene-	Chief Managem	Apply to S. E. BURROWS & SONS.	The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNI- TURE, comprising:— Walnut Covered CHAIRS, COUCHES,	LAWN GRASS SEED. PEACHES.	UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.	THE EMOTIONAL DRIMA, ENTITLE
ral.—Carlowitz & Co. ept. 21, Courier, British bark, F. R. Bart- lett, Newchwang 13th September, Beans.	Manager.	TO LET. INHE PREMISES situate in Queen's Road	MIRBORS, PICTURES, Dining TABLE, SIDEBOARD, GLASS, CROCKERY, and PLATED WARE, BEDSTEADS, WARD-	PEARS, GREENGAGES	NOTICE in bereby given, that the OR-	Lord Mount Severa
—Ed. Schellhass & Co. ept. 21, Charlotte Andrews, British bark,		Central, known as the "Crown and Another Taveen." Apply to	Dressing TABLES, Toilet GLASSES, &c., &c. TREMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in	Pinant Bounds ON DITTERS W	DINARY HALF-YEARLY MEET. ING of the Shareholders of this Society will be held at its Head Office, Hongkong, on TUES.	Richard Hare Mr. J. Betson.
July, Coals.—P. M. S. S. Co. opt. 21, Coquette, German bark, 283, Lan-	On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of I	1 tf 834 Hongkong, 28th May, 1874.	with all faults and errors of description, at pur-	CRICK TATS	DAI, the 29th institut, at Three o'clock P.M.,	Cornelia Carlyle Mrs. J. B. Taylo
ridson, put back, Ballast.—Ed. Schell- Hass & Co.	For 3 months 2 per cent. per annum		PUBLIC AUCLON' OF REAL ESTATE.	CARPETS, this Season's Patterns.	Directors, together with a Statement of Ac- counts to 30th June, 1874. The Transfer Books of the Society will be CLOSED from the 20th to the 29th instant.	事がらない はんがん ちょうしょう しょきん さいしょう こうじゅん コート・コード・コード
Departures.	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED Credits—granted on approved Securities, and		HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, AND BOR- NEO TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION.		both days inclusive. By Order of the Board,	A GRAND SPECIAL NIGHT! Under the Patronage of
opt. 21, Youtung, str., for Swatow. opt. 21, Formosa, str., for Manila.	every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts—granted on London, and the chief	With immediate possession. WELLING HOUSES in Alexandra Ter-	AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have re-	* OWERCOATINGS, do. do	N. J. EDE, Secretary. 1468 Hongkong, 17th September, 1874.	MAJOR-GENERAL COLBOI
CICATARCOS, AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager.	No. 13B, Bollywood Road; Water and Gas	tion, of WEDNESDAY, 30th September, 1874, at Noon,	PLAYING CARDS, New Patterns. Finest Pickled OX TONGUES.	CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE. OTICE is hereby given, that the OR-	OFFICERS OF THE GARRISON
SEPTEMBER 21st. ouglas, str., for East Coast. ormosa, str., for Manila.	Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, 8th August, 1874.	tf 563 Hongkong, 17th September, 1874.	On the Premises;— The GODOWNS, COAL SHEDS, HOUSES, OFFICES, and PIER.	Door MATS. Cartridge CASES.	DINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Canton Insur- ANCE OFFICE will be held at the Office of the	PRICES, &c., AS USUAL. 1494 Hougkong, 22nd September, 1874
egislator, str., for Saigon.	THE QUEENSLAND NATIONAL BANK, LIMITED. Incorporated under the Companies Act, 1863.	TO LET. THE whole, or part, of the Residence known as "THE HERMITAGE."	situate at West Point, belonging to the above- named Company.	SHOT and WADS. Sporting GUNPOWDER. Rifle GUNPOWDER.	Undersigned, in the Queen's Road, on THURS. DAY, the 1st October, 1874, at 3.30 P.M.	GRAND LEGITIMATE NIGHT
Passengers.	CAPITAL, £500,000.	Apply to T. ALGAR. 9, Hollywood Road.	For Further Particulars, apply to the Auctioner. TERMS.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on full of the hammer, the remainder	SITRER LAMPS	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office.	MISS CARRY GEORGE'S DRAMA COMPANY.
Per Joachim Christian, from Newchwang:— Mr. Wm. Brösben. Per Macao, from Amoy:—	HEAD OFFICE, BRISBANE. DIRECTORS: HON. F. H. HART, M. L.C., Chairman.	TO LET. THE PREMISES at present occupied by	on Transfer. Expenses of Transfer to be borne by the Purchaser.	the purest and steadiest Light ever produced from Vegetable, Mineral, or Animal Oils.	14d 1476 Hongkong, 18th September, 1874. Re EDMUND J. SHARP, Deceased.	THURSDAY, the 24th SEPTEMBER, LAST NIGHT BUT TWO OF THE BEASO
20 Chinese. Per Charlotte Andrews, from Newcastle:— Mr. Christie and 3 Chinese.	Hon. A. B. BUCHANAN, M.L.O. Hon. THOS. M'ILWRAITH, M.L.A. AUDITORS:	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, Queen's Road.	1431 Hongkong, 11th September, 1874. PUBLIC AUCTION.	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Agents for the Silber Light Co.	CANTON, 14th September, 1874. A LL PERSONS baving CLAIMS on Et J. SHARP, late commanding the Canton	BENEFIT OF MR. J. BATSON. Production of the
DEPARTED. Per Formosa, str., for Manila:—	FREDERICK ORME DARVALL, Esq. W. F. DIGBY, Esq. Genebal Manager:	Apply to G. FALCONER. tf 1070 Hongkong, 7th July, 1874.	THE Undersigned has received instructions from C. V. Cheagh, Esq., Sheriff, to Sell by Public Auction, under a Writ of Excention,	RSTABLISHED IN 1820.	Imperial Maritime Customs' Steam Cruiser SHUN-CHI, are requested to send in their Accounts on or before the 1sr October, 1874.	"LADY OF, LYONS." Pauline
1 Cabin and 75 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Douglas, Etc., for East Coast:	E. R. DRURY. BRANCHES: BEENLEIGH.	TO LET, With Pessession on the 1st of March. 1HE Business PREMISES and Dwelling	On THUESDAY,	Incorporated with Shearwood and Co.,	and all Parties indebted to the above Estate are requested to make payment forthwith to the Undersigned.	To conclude with
4 Cabin and 100 Chinese. Per Legislator, str., for Saigon:— 100 Chinese.	CHARTERS TOWERS. COOKTOWN GYMPIE.	HOUSE on Queen's Road, at present in the occupation of Messrs, LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Apply to	The German Ship "BELLE SAUVAGE."	BILLIARD TABLE MANUFACTURERS, AND GENERAL FURNISHING.	1m 1463] R. CARROLE. Administrator.	PRICES, &C., AS DEVAL.
Reports.	MARYBOROUGH. MILLCHESTER. BOCKHAMPTON	tfg41 Hongkong, 6th January, 1874. TO LET,	of 1,318. Tons register or thereabouts, as she now lies in the Harbour, with all her Appurtenances.	CONTRACTORS, BY APPOINTMENT TO HIS EXCELLENGY THE VICEROY,		BRITISH BARK FALCON, R. SHII
The British bark Courier reports left New- wang on 13th September, and had fresh	EOUNDAMPTON. EOUNDAMPTON. ETANTHORPE. TOOWOOMBA.	With Possession on 1st September, I'HE OFFICES over the Hongkong Dis-	This Vessel has undergone extensive Repairs in September, 1873, having had new Keelson and Kudder, upper and lower Stringers, a large	H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH,	Graham Street. 1283 Hongkong, 17th August, 1874. TOBN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO.	MASTER. A LL CLAIMS against the above V
The British bark Inverarcy reports left New-	TOWNSVILLE. AGENTS IN LONDON: THE UNION BANK OF LONDON;	Apply to	portion of Ceiling in Lower Hold, new Foremast and other Repairs, and newly Metalled in July, 1873, and a Classing for 3/4, 2, 1 in Universal	55, 59, 60, & 61, Bentinck Street, CALOUTTA.	CALIFORNIA.	Noon TO MORROW, the 23rd inst., or will not be recognised.
wang on 1kth September. Had light winds d fair weather from the S.W. down Gulf of autong and to Shangtung Promontory; from	THE NATIONAL BANK OF AUSTRAL-	TO LET. TOS. 2 and 9, Seymoar Terrace.	Lloyds, and good to proceed to any Port of the World. For further particulars and Inventory, apply	BILDIARD TABLES.	Winehester Repeating Arms and Ammunition; Du Pont's Blueting and Sporting Powder; Lake Superior and Pacific Fuse Company's Safety	WM. PUSTAU & O Ag 3d 1489 Hongkong, 22nd September, 18
	AGENTS IN NEW SOUTH WALES: THE CITY BANK. THE MERCANTILE BANK OF SYDNEY.	No. 7, Garden Road, known as "HAEPER- VILLE," formerly occupied by J. M. WALTER,	to the Undersigned. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on the fall of the	as a long and ateady experience extending over	Fuse. [1y 925 June 15] TN 'KRUPP'S CAST STEEL WORKS.	LOST
t Newchwang on 18th September at 6 p.m. ad strong Northerly winds and fine weather	AGENTS IN VICTORIA, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, AND WESTERN AUSTRALIA. THE NATIONAL BANK OF AUSTRAL-	Nos. 2 and 6, Hollywood Road, lately forming part of the "HOTEL D'EUROPE."	The Vessel to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG.	50 years has proved them to be the best and wost suitable for the climate.	SOLE AGENT FOR CHINA AND JAPAN,	UPON MONDAY EVENING, between and 6 P.M., a Small Red and W PEKIN DOG; answers to the Name
off Shanghai; after which strong N.E. mon- on and thick weather with very high sea. w the barque Condor, and a 3-musted schooner,	ASIA. AGENTS IN NEW ZEALAND. THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.	Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 1430 Hongkong, 11th September, 1874.	1989 Handkang 511 Mantamber 1974	C. L. & Co. have received a large number of very flattering testimonials from all parts of India, China, Burmah, Ceylon, Manils, Java,		"T O N Y." Was last seen at the Albany. Any Pereturning him to the Undereigned will be
th bound for Swatow. The British bark Charlotte Andrews reports	AGENTS IN NEW YORK: MESSICS, LAIDLAW & CO. AGENTS IN SAN FRANCISCO:	TO LET, With immediate possession. [THE HOUSE No. 7, A berdeen Street. Wa-	HONGKONG ICE COMPANY.	Straits, and Persia, testifying to the superjor make and quality of their Billiard Tables, and	TO A STATE OF STATE O	warded. J. BRAMSTO. 1495 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1874.
t Newcastle, N.S.W., on 29th July. First d middle parts light breezes and calm, and ter part fresh Northerly gales with light	THE BANK OF CALIFORNIA. AGENTS IN INDIA AND THE EAST THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.	Apply to	THE Undersigned beg to intimate that their DEPOT at No. 17, QUEEN'S HOAD. HONGKONG, HOTEL BUILDINGS, was	China for the liberal supports to long Extension	SKP1TAI Skonghat Tuels 2,000;500; in 1,000	NOTICE.
rbulent sea. On the 18th experienced beavy les from the N.E., with barometer at 29.30; we in starboard bulwarks, mainsail and five	6m 1139] [July 21, 1874. THE ANGLO-CALIFORNIAN BANK, (LIMITED.)	TO LET,	a Stock of CLEAR SOLID BLOCK ICE made from Pure Filtered Water, without	which have conduced to the success their efforts	사무하다. 그 그 그 사람이 그 사람이 사는 그 전 (本語) 후 유명하다. 나 그 나를 살아 다른 사람이 되었다.	THOM this date, and until further No the RETAIL PRICE OF ICE will a Centerper Found; Wholesale, \$60.00 per CHAS. F. HOLTON.
nobions. On the 19th the gale still con- ned, with thunder, lightning and rain, and remendons heavy sea struck topgallant and	412, CAL'A ST., SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. London Offico	OFFICES in Hunt's Building, Peddar's Wharf. Apply to	the use of Ether, Ammonia, or any kind of Chemicals whatever; and are prepared to execute Orders for any quantity at the following	have hitherto-met with. Every table is made of solid wood, well sea-	or Taels 600 per Share.	Agent, Tudor Comp 10d 1490 Hongkong, 22nd September, 1
ral yards. The gale continued until the raing of arrival, ship been hove to 26 hours.	New York Agents, J. & W. SELIGMAN & Co., 21, Broad Street. AUTHORIZED	tf. 782 Hongkong, 19th May, 1874.	Prices: 1 Ton	soned and not vencered. The Cashions are constructed on an entirely new principle, introduced by C. L. and Co.;		NOTICE. NOTICE. PY Order of the Exma Junta de Faze
The German bark Coquette reports having the back to this port. She left this on the hinstant, with light Southerly winds, which	CAPITAL STOCK	OHLENDORFF & OO.	Discount on Large Orders. For 2 Pounds, 4 Cents per Pound.	and unlike that adopted by English makers, and are much more durable and lively than	Mesers Gilman & Co	D it is bereby made public that on the of October next ensuing, at Noon, before same Exma Junta, will be SOLD at PUB
Eastward. On the following day had a N.E. winds. On the 18th N.E. winds and	A W make Collections, buy and sell Exchange and Bullion, loan Money, and issue Letters of Credit available throughout the world.	LONDON, ANTWERP, HAMBURG, AND EMMERICH-ON-RHINE GUABANTEED TO CONTAIN	Owners or Agents.	English made cushions. No table leaves O. L. and Co.'s premises until it has, been standing ready finished for over 12	A. G. WOOD, Esq., Mesers. Gibb, Livingston & Co.	AUCTION the MACHINE belonging to late Gunboat "Principe D. Carlos," which be examined in the Godowne of the Prem
reatening weather. Prepared for a typhocu the wind and sea increased and barometer 1. The same night the gale increased and	1y 1887] FRED. F. LOW, 1y 1887] IGN. STEINHART, Managers.	Nitrogen equal to 10 per cent, of Non-Volatile Ammonia. 20 , Soluble Guano Phos- 4 , Insoluble phate	6 P.M., and ICE can be had at the WORKS at EAST POINT any time during day or night.	months, in order to cusure perfectly seasoned material.	Mesers. Brund Bros. & Co.	of the extinct Custom-bouse. On the same day and place above referred will also be realized a quantity of BRONZI
daylight was drifting to leeward fast under to poles the vessel being hove to. The vessel	TNCORPORATED by National Decrees of	THIS Manure is prepared from genuine Peru- vian Government Guano. The result of its special treatment is that the Ammonia is fixed,	DEFOT or at the Works. KYLE & BAIN.	Every article of furniture, also, that leaves C. LAZARUS and Co.'s Establishment, is gua-	Mesers, Thorne Bros. & Co.	Macac, Secretary's Office of the Junta Fazenda, 16th September, 1874. J. C. PAES D'ASSUMPCAO,
es comparation and a comparation of the comparation	Decrees of 25th July, 1854, and 31st December, 1866.	soluble, and the Manure brought into the con- dition of a free dry powder.	1455 Hongkong, 17th September, 1874. THE UNDERSIGNED began to inform the Public of	ranteed of Solid and Seasoned Wood, C. L. & Co. have always ready a large stock of new Cushiens on their peculiar principle, and	C. L. GEANT, Esq., Messrs. Adamson, Bell & Co.	\$50 R E W A R D. THEREAS, on Wednesday, the 16th
talls, after which the gale became steady, and tinued very fresh to arrival.	vention of 30th April, 1862.	phere, or to the heat of the sun. It is offered to the farmer with a Guarante of its composi-	HONGKONG, HO NAM, AND CANTON that he has shops established at those places in	which can be supplied for any table, the ac- curate length and breadth of the slate bed only		tember, a man, named A-ü, visited Undersigned, and while on the Premises STC \$3,000 in NOTES and absconded. A-ü is al
(Corrected to Date.)	PAID-UP CAPITAL80,000,000 3,200,000 RESERVE FUND 20,000,000 800,000	tion, and is, in fact, the richest and, considering the quality, the cheapest Guaranteed Manure at present in the market. Its fertilising pro-	In HONGKONG, at the Central Market, No. 12, he has constantly on band BEEF.	being required. C. L. and Co. have always in hand a large stock of Billiard, Pool and Pyramid Balls, Cues,	BANKING CORPORATION.	21 years of age, has Brown Coloured Face, dressel in Black Silk Coat and Trousers Cotton Shoes, is a Native of Sartan, Nam
Vissel's Name. Prom. Dater. AlejandroNew YorkFeb. 10 FrancesFob. 19		perfies are such as will enable the consumer to derive the greatest economical advantage from the use of Guano.	TABLES, and OILMAN'S STORES, &c., of the best quality.	Tips, Chalks, Cloth, and every requisite for the Billiard Table.	HERBERT S. MORRIS, Esq.	and a son of Akong. The above Reward be paid to any Person who will give informa
	E.C. AGENCIES.—At Nantes, Lyons, Marseilles, Roubaix, Brussels, Alexandria, Bombay, Cal-	APPLICATION OF DISSOLVED PERU-	RITS, SODA WATER, &c., and GAME when	Old Cushions renewed on C. LAZARUS &CO.'s peculiar principle, thereby making an old	HEAD OFFICE:	as to A-u's whereabouts, and should any lead bring him to the Undersigned with all portion of the Stolen Money in his possess such money will be EQUALLY D. VIDED with
Frederick TudorCardiff		SUGAR CANE.—Dissolved Peruvian Guano produces strong and succulent canes, rich in	Gentlemen and Families desirous of patron- izing him, are requested to apply at his shops	table as good as new. BILLIARD LAMPS. Six and Eight Light Lamps for Oil, or Kero-		said Person. WAH LOONG.
Cinfanns CastleLondonJune 13 Jeranjah	LONDON BANKEES—Union Bank of London. Hongrong Agency.	productive power of the land. From 8 to 4 owts, of Dissolved Peruvian Guano per acre is	as above, where a list of prices of articles will be supplied at the same rate all the year round.	principle, giving a light equal to twelve ordinary	HUNGKONG, YOKOHAMA.	1492] 60. Queen's Road Cent FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOODHO THE departure of the Steamship
tefanoPenarthJune 20 cord MacaulayLiverpoolJune 23	Interest Allowed	s good dressing for Sugar Cane; INDIAN CORN.—Three to 4 cwts, of Dis-	ly 742 Hongkong, 13th May, 1874.	lamps,	the 16th June, 1874, the following Besolu-	L "DOUGLAS," Captain Burnie, is POSTPONED quail '
Hamilton Cardiff June 29	Un Masa Deposits	powerful effect upon Indian Corn, and largely increases this crop. BICE.—We should strongly recommend the	·····································	C. LAZARUS AND Co. baye been appointed	NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY," shall be formed for a further period of three years, commencing from the 1st day of January, 1875.	DAY, the 22nd instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co
binamanLondonJuly 10 BremaNew YorkJuly 10 FontenayeLondonJuly 13	, 6 ,, 3 /, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,,	use of 2 to 3 cwts. per acre for Rice, for, al- though irrigation is generally solely relied upon as a means of producing a good crop of	CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.	THE NEW PATERT	and terminating on the 31st day of December. 1877. 20d.—That the present Court of Directors	2d 1487 Hongkong, 21st September, 187 FOR SINGAPORE AND LENANG. THE Steamship
lame CookNew YorkJuly 15 Leariette BehnHamburgJuly 17 Lankow(e)LondonJuly 27	A. PHILIPPE, Acting Manager. Offices in Hongkong: Bank Buildings.	irrigation, 2 or 3 owts, of Dissolved Pernylan Guano per acre will be highly beneficial.	ADDISONMENT OF BONDS FOR MED VELL 1972	by means of which the score can be marked	re elected to act as a Provisional Committee, with power to add to their number, for the pur-	"NAMOA." Daptain Westoby, will be despatched for
	Queen's Road. 876 Hongkong, 22nd July, 1874.	at our command with regard to the manuring of Tea plantations, we confidently recommend	CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company	Price Lists, Catalogues, and all information	plications for, and allotting the Shares. The net profits of the Company will be divided it imposses the Shareholders in the following	or the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 2 netant, at 2 P.M.
	Ceased to be a Partner in our Firm on	to receive. COTTON.—The vield of Cotton has of late.	ending 31st December last, in order that the	LANE, CRAWFORD AND CO., r	atio, viz.:— One-third (331 %) in proportion to the number of Shares held by each.	For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & October 187, 21st September, 187, 2000, 115
NOTICE.	our Name.	deal manures, containing a fair propertion of the	the Net Profits reserved for Contributors may	C. LAZARUS & CO.'S AGENTS	Two-thirds (66f */,) as bonus on premium paid by Shareholders.	NOTICE. — NOTICE. NOTICE. Of the Peruvian Ship "Emigrants"
N and after this date the undermentioned Local Insurance Offices will charge the owing Bates of Premium per Steamers via	NOTICE.	ammonia and much soluble phosphate of lime, potash, and other alkaline salts. Dissolved Peruvian Guano meets the requirements of the Cotton plant, inasmuch as it furnishes all the	Beditantivarimittad s. Seeka markini ka ka		n a permanent basis, in lieu of a triennial co.	e responsible for any debta contracted by discress and Crew of the said vessel, tf 1042 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1874.
Z Canal, being those now corrent in London.	M. JOHN A. H. DROUGHT is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration. WESTALL, GALTON & Co.	elements of fertility, which are calculated to promote the luxuriant growth of the same. If the increase in quantity be made the chief object.	Secretary, 9 3m 1203 Hongkong, 1st August, 1574.	and forwarded to Calcutta by the BARLIEST 8	hould the "Joint Stock Companies' Act." be used applicable to Companies in Shanghai.	COALS Landed and Stored by the Und Uniqued in the Spacious Coal-Sheds, W hi, lately in the occupation of Messrs, R
NKOW to LONDON:— 23 2 EA per Mail Steamers 23 2 all other Steamers 31 23	1m 1444 Foochew, 9th September, 1874.	4 to 5 cwts. of Dissolved Peruvian Guano per acre will prove most advantageous; but if greater care be given to the fine applicant the	VICTORIATIREINSURANCE COMPANY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.	Norton.	bares in the undermentioned form will be re-	Valuer & Co. J. J. dos Remedios & Co
ANGHAI of FOOTHOW to	L. HAVE Established myself at this Port as Merchant and Commission Agent.	Peruvian Guano, together with 2 to 3 owts, of mineral superphosphate, per nore, will be found		THE S. S. HAN YANG, 260 tone Register, it	ta Agents at the several Ports in the East intil the 30th September, 1874, and from Lion-	1m 1396 Hongkong, 7th September, 187
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passed. There is too, at the present day, to go to. The North of China is no better than ... BEFORE C. MAY, Esq. officials, but to establish relations with it; and towards doing this, a Superintendency of Peking, were natural steps of progress." It is no doubt unsatisfactory to residents to recognise the fact that Hongkong is no longer the head quarters of British interests in China. To possess a Colony which would gradually increase in influence and import. ance and extend its territorial limits far into adjacent provinces was very probably the predominant idea in the days when Bripenchant for establishing her rule over things a good deal more substitutial whenever and wherever opportunity offered. But the old dreams of Hongkong being a nucleus of this description have long been abandoned. They received a final blow with the inauguration of the policy of centralization, which has been the recognised rule of action in regard to China since the establishment of the Em-

bassy at Peking.

At the present day it is idle to think of the possibility of the Superintendency Trade over being again invested in the Go- however, as yet been able to obtain further rigible; in fact be felt inclined to only give vernor of Hongkong. Trade of an extensive character has become developed at the ports under the new system, and Imperial interests paper, in which Wong Apo and Wong Afook defendant leave the Novelty Iron Works, in large numbers from Luchon and other have become so far established with the Central Government at Peking direct that such a step is never likely to be contemplated | some notice, as it seems an increasing number But there is something in the ideas which were expressed at the meeting on this point. The sentence which has been passed will, it is His Worship sent him to ten days imprison- ment, warred of their approach, had had time with respect to religious toleration can scarcely although the form in which they were put to be hoped, put a damper upon this neferious ment, and ordered that he be flogged with a to convey the money of "the bank" corces the be called in question, since some 1,900 banished forth was not very happily chosen. There has undoubtedly been a tendency on the part | years, but it is said that there is a Company of our Authorities to overlook the interests regularly organised for carrying on the trade. of the Colony in the new policy which has alert. It might be thought that the Chinese named Cheong Kwai Hing, on the 5th instant, they said, to the Carliet Junta. It might have and without molestation at Yedo. Yokohama, ters connected with China are regulated from down the practice at its commoncement, as if case was reinvestigated, but the evidence was a would to secure himself against a repetition of the law in a way of departments. We have been slow to learn there is a regulated from the practice at its commoncement, as if case was reinvestigated, but the evidence was a would to secure himself against a repetition of the law in a way of departments. We have been slow to learn been adopted. At present all important mat- Amborities at Cauton would be able to put Mr. Russell sat beside Mr. May, and the whole been thought that the proprietor of the tables Hakodate, and elsewhere. the Foreign Office, and Ministers and Consuls have a habit of forgetting the little island which is ruled from the Colonial office, and to consider matters connected with it some-Sir RUTHERFORD ALCOCK gave a very striking proof of this in his convention for the revision of the Treaty, in which he introduced several provisions which would, had they been ratified, have proved highly detrimental to Hongkong-and other instances of the same kind have frequently occurred. This is certainly a very unfortunate mistake on the part of the Home Government, as the trading interests of this Colony are of great value to the mother country; and ought not to be sacrificed or overlooked in carrying out more extended schemes of policy-which by the very brilliant success-with China. The which sacrifice of material interests of this in the Colony, and if they are to go or much Geneva. He objects to the position of infalli- cital question was whether the plaintiff was a under European direction, which is being from the infalli- cital question was whether the plaintiff was a under European direction, which is being from the infalli- cital question was whether the plaintiff was a under European direction, which is being from the infalli- cital question was whether the plaintiff was a under European direction, which is being from the infalli-Colony for that end ought not to be made. to out matters short by handing over the Go- assumed by the Town Council, and to this his tion the jury found for the plaintiff, with £500 It is perhaps to be feared that a reference of vernment in toto to the Chinese.

the blockade question home will have somewhat the offect of placing the Foreign and the Colonial Offices in antagonism in regard to it. The former will not wish to be troubled in the matter, and will consider that the Colony ought to take care of itself, though it is clear that the most effectual means of putting an end to the difficulty are to found at Poking, where the Minister can bring his influence to bear upon the Chinese Authorities. It is to be hoped, that it will be clearly seen that the interests involved are really identical with these at the ports, and are short only a part of the general trading interests of Great Britain with China, If the trade of Hongkong-bo | unduly_shackled, the Home interests suffer as much as if the restrictions were at one of the ports, and the Secretary of State for Foreign affairs ought consequently to be as willing to lend his aid in this case as though the matter come to him first through the Minister at Peking. It is to be hoped that the case will be treated in this broad spirit, and that it will not end-as there is undoubtedly some danger-in our falling between the two stools of the Colonia Office

and the Foreign Office.

In is to be regretted very much thuced that the attempt which was made a short time back to establish a Sanitarium for the benefit of the general public has fallen through in consequence of the unfortunate difference of opinion between the non-official members of Swatow a QUELON and CAMPBELL. Council and the Government, as to the ob-WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co. jects to which the Sanitarium recently erected at the Gap should be devoted. Upon the merits of that dispute we have already spoken, and it is therefore unnecessary to enlarge stable No. 204 carged two men, named Ho The prisoners subsequently were seen coming HALL& HOLTzand Kells, upon them on the present occasion. It is Yeung Yes and Keing Chew Yow, with the from the shore, and heing met by the police, sufficient to express regret that, "with all the appliances and means to boot" existing in again, and the constable produced the woman HALL& HOLTZ and KELLY Hongkong for carrying out works of public utility, and in face of the enormous expenditure which the Colony is annually called Mesers. LANE, CHAWFORD & Cc. upon to pay, it has proved impossible up to Mr. C. D. Moss, Jupan Gazette the present to supply so necessary a boon as had said a ticket for a pair of bangles some place of refuge for the hard-worked offered her for 30 cents, but she did not know residents from the enervating effects of the London Mr. F. ALGAR, Clement's Lane. Summer heats. It is not very much to the credit of local institutions in this mode Sun Francisco, Mr. L. P. FISHER, 21, Mer. Colony that this should have been the case. and, as we are not at all inclined to believe that a work of this kind can be refused to the public, if they are sufficiently energetic in demanding it, we shall certainly not cease our advocacy of the measure on account of the failure-peculiar athough that failure undoubtedly is-of the first attempt. The information to the Inspector and the house chief reason why some institution of the kind A currous illustration of the tenacity with is required is simply because the fresh air of Tan Fu, master of a cargo boat, and bis crew which people cling to old ideas, and the slow- the hills is in many critical cases, such as had brought it there. He knew Tan-Fa-had ness with which they are able to recognise severe attacks of fever or diarrhea, an unchanges, was given at, the recent public meet- failing specific, and, we may add, in certain ing in the applause which greeted one of the cases and at certain seasons, is the only means were consigned from San Francisco to the firm speakers who expressed his opinion that it that can be adopted to bring the recuperative was to be regretted that the Superintendency powers of a sinking system again into play. shipping clerk, and he received from cargo of Trade had been removed from Hongkong: The writer is acquainted with two cases Whatever may have been the policy of that where nothing but taking patients up to the the other had was in the hands of the police. step at the time it was adopted, it has now Peak saved their lives. The only alternative so long been a fait accompli .that allusion to which suggested itself in one instance was a it was about as pertinent as it would be for a journey out to sea; but it is obvious that at boats were employed by the P. M. S. S. Co. Conservative speaker at home to express his certain times of the year, and those too the regret that the Referm Bill of 1832 had been most trying in Hongkong, there is nowhere

about as much chance of our going back upon | Hongkong, and to go. Southwards to Singathe removal of the Superintendency of trade pore is of course of no advantage. Nature, from Hongkong as upon the great Reform however, provides a refuge in the grateful Ashing, master of stone boat No. 23, also sailed Bill. The fact is that the measure so much coshiess of the hills, and it is very hard inpart of the policy which has for years influeevents, in cases of sickness. It will no doubt enced-the Home Government with regard to be argued that in critical cases accommoda- presented them at the complainant and his crew China. Their object has been not to conquer tion would assuredly be offered either at the the country or to ride rough-shod over the "dependencies" of the Governor's bungalow to throwing stones at them. The police then or at the Sanatarium at the Harbour Mas- came and arrested the defendants Chenn Afook, ter's office. We can only say in reply to this Trade first at Shanghai and subsequently at that it most assuredly ought to be, but to the mutchlock or a musket at him and his orew. writer's positive knowledge there have been more cases than one, and some too in which tannia ruled the waves and had a strong Colony, and lightening the burden of a life which, in these unpropitious times, is never

not be the case is a matter for serious regret something more than regret that means of recovering health, so easy and so natural, should be persistently denied to those who the Novelty Iron Works, with stealing a brass may fall victims to some of the trying crank bed, and one brass packing gland from the maladies of this place.

that H.E. the Vicercy of Canton, who has for commended by Mr. Hawkins, three months

The kidnapping case reported in today's were charged with kidnapping a girl named Cheong Kwai Hing from Canton, and attemptof women are kidnapped, and sent off from this Colony either to Singapore or San Francisco. practice—the fi at defendant being sent to six ratten ten strokes each time. months hard labour, and the second to two

effect that the Chinese Authorities at Canton cutting off of a cock's head to the truthfulness had sent in an application for the rendition of of any statement however, true it might what in the light of unnecessary trouble. Lee Lum Qui, on the ground that he was a be and she convinced of it. This was tantal Chinese official. The statement appeared to mount to stating that what she said, he so preposterous that we paid little attention gould be believed if the magistrates liked. to ith imagining some mistake must have been | She was positive that she was brought down by made. We now, however, hear upon good au- the second defendant and handed over to the thority that such is actually the fact, and that first defendant; that Ayow came down also and the Executive have been much concerned as to the second defoudant paid \$1.50 for herself, sustained through the negligence of the defend on the country, what to do in the matter. Perhaps it may Ayow and witness as passage money in the day ants. He was proceeding on the 12th of April facilitate their deliberations if they direct their stenmer. attention as a preliminary to discovering what Their Worships after thoroughly weighing trenty and ordinance exempt a man from the facts of the case, sentenced the first dothe legal consequences of an act committed in femdant to six months hard labour, and the this Colony, on the ground that he is in the second to two years. They also complimented which a hole bad been stuffed. He fell and service of the Authorities at Canton. Unless the two witnesses in the case for being the burt his knee so severely that he has been mince there is some special provision, the only ground menns of saving the girl from being sent to laid up. He had to go to liendon for surgical paper, with a sale of about 800 copies of international county upon which such Singapore, and suggested to the master of the treatment, and according to the medical eviexemption can be based is that Le Dum Qui is girl from Canton that considering he had of dence be may be permanently injured. He had sale of 860 copies: un Ambassador, and we do not think that is fored a reward for her, he would not forget lost over £150 by the occurrence. The defence the case. It is also stated that the Chinaman these two witnesses, who were the means of way, have not been hitherto attended with who has brought the charge against Lee Lum him getting her back again. Qui bas been demanded on a charge of murder committed twelve yours ago, and it sppears also grand advantages of the policy of keeping up there is some truth in the statement made by a the liet. diplomatic relations on a footing of equality contemporary, to the effect that pressure is with China are somewhat problematical at being brought to bear at Canton upon the family of one of the witnesses. Altogether miswer to it as well as any other. longer as they are, it would perhaps be better

We are informed that the steamship Cawdor Castle arrived at Singapore yesterday morning, en roule for Hongkong. The P. & O. Co.'s steamer Malacon, bringing he next English Mail, laft Singapore, for Hong-

kong, on the morning of the 20th instant. One of the most interesting architectural features in this Colony is the wooden Government Pier, which should scoording to all the rules of symmetry, he placed so as to form a continuation of Peddar's Hill; but which hides itself round the corner, being placed not in front of the road, but of Mosers. Melchers & Co.'s house. to which it forms a very unsightly and inconvenient obstruction. We believe that there has been some correspondence on the subject, which the Government bave shown the same conciliatory disposition to respect private gricyances as usually characterises them. Whatever, however, may be the merits of the subject in this point of view, it would certainly desirable that the pier should be placed on the square, as at present it is simply an eye It was, we are informed, always under stood that it was only to be a temporary erection, and that a proper pier would be created where the old Government wharf stood before t was injured by a typhoon.

"Let September. Buroke James Russell, Esq.

POLICETNTELLIGENCE

A blacksmith, named Chow Apo, was charg by Chinese constable No. 204, with stealing bamboo out of a Government fence, and was

PLYING FOR HIRE. Police Sorgenut Thompson, No. 88, churge Hing Asam and Hing Atai, two chair coolies, were fined 31 each. AN INSANE WOULD BE SUICIDE.

Wat Hospital. THE BANGLE CASE. The remanded case in which Chinese con-

Pang Ashoi, the insane man who brokeout of

unlawful possession of a pair of female bangles, which they were attempting to pawn, came on who told him that the defendants come into. ossession of the bungles by means of a nawnticket which they bought for 30 c ats. became very demonstrative and denied that she mid the defendants bought the ticket. whether the party went to the defendant's room and offered it there or that they bought it from

There being no evidence to prove the bangles were stolen-the defendants were discharged. THE COCHINEAL CASE. This case, in which Inspector Grev charged Li Au, a barber, with the unlawful possession

of a quantity of cochineal valued at \$500, came . Chinese constable No. 171 said at 8 p.m on the 18th instant he received information that a quantity of cochineal had been taken to bouse No. 6, Kwong Yeun. West Street. He gave scarched, and under the defendant's bed the cochineal was found. The defendant said been taking cargo from the American mail

Mr. G. W. Baffey said eight bags of cochineal of Kwong Man Poong in this Colony, and arrived in the P. M. S. S. Costa Raca. He was boats into godowns seven bags only. These had He considered that big still the property of the Company and the Company the prosecutors. the bag not having been delivered. The cargo The case was then remanded till the 23rd

During the gale on Sunday, when innte and sione boats took reitige at You man tee, Kwok but very fortunately they would not go off Complainant said that on finding this, they took Wong Afook, Wong Aping, Wan Shing Chow, and Cho Achue, each of whom presented a European constable No. 11 said he was at Stone-cutter's Island at the time, and his at tention was drawn to seeing the crews of each ladies were concerned, in which accommoda- | boat throwing stones at the other whilst lyin tion was not obtainable even in cases of sick. in the buy. He then saw the first and second defendants bring up muskets and attempt to ness-in one instance of a critical character. fire, but the caps only went off. He imme-It would only be reasonable that the benefit | distely boarded them and took defendants into of the cool air on the hills should be made custody. He found on heard four gingalls or matchlocks and four muskets. available to the community for the purpose His Worship said he considered that the preserving the general health of the crews of both houts should have been arrested attempting to stab him, on the 19th instant. and charged, and having directed that the complainant-und his Chinese witness be placed on

the charge-sheet, remanded the case till to-morlikely to be of the easiest. That this should row (this day). He also gave instructions to rrest the rest of the crow and that enquiry be made at the Harbour Muster's respecting the -but it is a subject for the expression of number of arms booked on board these vessels. An apprentice boy named Yip Akwong, aged 15, was charged by J. W. Oroker, engineer at

Works, on Saturday. Complainant said that within the last two months goveral small things were missing and It was reported yesterday on good authority could not be found. The defendant was refriends pear. He had been to England. who said he bought thom at Lascar Row.

We heard, some time since, a rumour to the would not go to a temple and swear at the maskete. These men keep guard over the contracts for service of this nature, each as

Give a dog a bad name and he'll learn to Eather Hyacinthe has resigned the cure of Baron Dessy pointed out that the princip blitby in matters of religion, which has been passenger by hire. After two hours deliberaresignation is due.

SUPREME COURT 21 of September. CRIMINAL SESSIONS. BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE SIE J. SMALE

The seasions, adjourned from Friday last, were resumed this morning. The following centlemen comprised the jury :- Messrs. C. H. Morgap, J. Reating, O. V. Smith, D. A. MoD. Gunn, C. M. Simmonds, C. R. Freerks, and W.

AND MR. JUSTICE SNOWDEN

THE "BPARK" CASE. On the application of Mr. Handley, the hearing of this case, which had been fixed for Thursday, was further postponed till Monday next. PIRACY AND WOUNDING.

Chang Asee, and Chang Aleung were charged

with piracy and wounding on the 13th August. of eighteen miles in length, in operation be Both pleaded not guilty. The Attorney-General (Mr. Bramston), instructed by the Orown Solicitor, pros outed; prisoners were not defended. The Attorney General in laying the case before the jury, said the prisoners were charged few weeks, which will connect Hiego with on the first count of the information with hav- Osaka, and the preliminary surveys have been ing committed piracy on board a fishing junk undertaken with the view of prolonging the upon the high seas; and on the second count, latter line to Kidto. The habit of punctuality with having, at the time of committing such piracy, felonionaly wounded two men on board not fail to be the results, in the case of a large such junk. The circumstances of the case were portion of the population, of the introduction these. Two men, Wong Shing Lai, and Wong of railways into Japan. The line now Sling Tal were fishermen, and early on the morning of the 13th August, went out to fish off Cape D'Aguilar. At daylight they noticed a boat put off from Tytam-tuk with seven men on board. When they got near the fishing boat, they asked for some fish, and were told that there were none. The seven men then forced

in, and on going round found it ashore, but as it has been so, I believe it is chiefly, though there was no one with it. In it they found a sail that had been stolen from the fishing boat. were seen to tuen into a field where there were some people at work. To distract attention, one of them took a plough and the other a spade, and pretended they were at work there. They were caught, however, and when taken to the police station, and arranged in a line with This woman, on being placed in the box, others, they were identified by the fishermen as admits of the use of wheels, the "jinrikisha, uttraked the boat, they would have to return a

cardist of emilty on one or both of the counts. This being a violent robbery on the water, it constituted the technical offence of piracy, and it was for that reason that prisoners were sowas a matter which His Lordship would have to deal with. But, as he had already said, if about 15 dollars. the jury considered prisoners were two of the men who attacked the boat, it was their duty to find them guilty.

was conflicting. The first witness said that he cess similar to that which has followed the was stubbed, and also that the accoud witness introduction of the railways, owing, I believe, was wounded. The second witness said he was !

of wounding the secondawituess. "he Chief-Justice summed up at some length; and concluded by putting the following questions for the consideration of the jury; lst, Are or is both or either and which of the prisource suffix on the first count? 2nd. Was Wong Shing Tai cut, stabled, and wounded at the time of the piracy and in prosecution of the pirucy ? 3rd. Were both or was either and which of the prisoners, present at the time of such cutting? 4th. Did the hand of either and The jury then retired, and after a short ab sence, returned into Court with the following

verdict: 1st, both prisoners are guilty on the first count: 2nd, Wong Shing Tai was cut, stabhed and wounded at the time and in prosecution of the piracy; 3rd, both prisoners were deprecated as detracting from the import deed that no means can be found to make chor, fouled the anchor of another stone boat, present at the time of the wounding; 4th, air foreign aid. I have shown in a previous report conduct, and has been disbarred after un investors and has been disbarred after un investors and the wounding; 4th, air foreign aid. I have shown in a previous report conduct, and has been disbarred after un investors and the wounding; 4th, air foreign aid. I have shown in a previous report conduct, and has been disbarred after un investors and the wounding; 4th, air foreign aid. nce of the Colony, was really only a matural this boom accessible to the public, at all the crew of which got so exasperated for fear of the jury were of opinion that neither prisoner how for instance, in the case of the Island of Eigstion lusting over three days. During the him best will remember that he was ever ready that the second prisoner committed it. The Chief Justice said he would have to consider how the ver ict was to be entered.

The Attorney General said he claimed it as a general verdict on both counts against both The Chief Justice said he would have to conbe would take a general verdict on both counts.

MARINE MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

21st September. BEFORE H. G. THOMSETT, ESQ., R.N.

ap cursing and swearing, and when he came down he neked him why he did so, when he called him a fool, and making use of an oath, then pulled out his sheath knife to him, He

the complainant was drunk. P.O. D. Kelly said he was called on board and saw the complainant. He was perfectly

DOINGS OF THE CARLISTS. A correspondent of the Figuro, who has been some time been niling, has died. We have not, ago, and during that time be had been incor- paying a visit to some of the illight gamingtables which are to be met with on the French him one chance more. He had no parents nor and Spanish frontier, has a very singular story The edict forbidding the profession of Christo tell of what cocurred the other day at Pont Lianity, which formerly was posted throughout Chinese constable No. 218 said he saw the du Roy. Just as the players were assembling this Empire, ought now not to be seen. and at a little distance off saw him attempt to watering-places in the neighbourhood, the Imperial Government, and if, in point of fact, sell the brass. He went to the scene, but the casino of Pout du Roy was invaded by some ing to sell her in this Colony, is deserving of bawker got away, and he apprehended the boy, thirty armed men, representing themselves to ing in a great many localities, although the be Carlist troope, who refused to let any play fact subjects the Government to the imputa-The defendant said he picked them up when take place until they had been paid a certain tion of neglecting to enforce its own orders, eum. The proprietor of the gaming establish- yet the liberal intention of the Government bridge which separates France and Spain, and Christians (all that remained of those driven as the band of Carlists did not venture to make from Urakami in 1869) were, in the spring of A tailor named Wong Apo, and an amah an irruption into French territory, they had to this year, sent back by the Government to section of the Criminal Law Amendment Act, tial. Hitherto in India the Universities named Wong Afook, were charged on remand content themselves with drawing up a report their homes, and since numbers of Japanese. and the police should, therefore, be upon the with kidnapping a young girl from Canton, of this illegal gambling, to be forwarded, as are now permitted to attend oburches regularly m, they must have some cognisance of the fact. girl being re-called made one strange state. them off, but, instead of doing so, he has bired meets prohibiting compulsory servitude. ment seldom made by Chinese. She said she some fifty Spaniards and "armed them with every description and annuiling all immorat casino while play is going cu.

> DAMAGES AGAINST A RAILWAY COMPANY At the Cork Assizes, on the 6th ullo, the Rev. Canon Neville, parish priest, brought an action against the Cork and Passage Railway which may be expected to extend itself from Company, claiming £5.000 damages for injuries from Monkstown to Queenstown in a steamer which was in connection with the railway. The lished daily, others every fifth day. day was stormy, and while he was walking the deck his foot slipped over some putty with the "Nighinshinjiehit," a daily paper of which that there was no negligence. It was sworn that the hole had been for ten months in the Some nuisunces and small fights completed same condition without any accident, but it was throughout the country. admitted that since the occurrence the place had been made smooth. The plaintiff alleged tions of the progress which western civilization i weil that the free pass extended only to Monkatown, and that he had paid for a ticket by the steamer.

PROGRESS IN JAPAN. (From the Report to the Foreign Office of Mr. R. G. Watson, Secretary of Logation.) I have been led to devote a large space to the first portion of this report, which does not. think, admit of being very much abridged; but I do not propose to enter into detail respect to the second portion of its subject, namely, the indirect agencies which are in operation tending to the spread amongst the lepanese of the ideas which influence the conduct of western nations: it will. I think. sufficient if I merely specify those which I conceive to be the more prominent amongst them It will be supposed that the introduction of steam as a motive power is exercising the same great inflaence on the babits and ideas of the people of Japan that it has exercised on those

number of persons who travel upon it each day is about 4,000. Another line, of about twenty three miles, will be orened, in the course of and a greater regard for the value of time canoperation has, so far, been worked with complete success, and its advantages are thoroughly appreciated by the Japanese of all classes. Steam vessels, too, now ply in the Japanese

of all countries into which the steam-engine has

tween Yedo and Yokobama, and the uverage

found its way. There is now a line of railway

waters in many directions. Not to mention the various foreign lines whose vessels touch at the Japanese ports, and by which the Japanese have the appartunity of travelling, a considerthe two fishermen with knives were in several able native steam mercantile fleet, speaking, of places and the ther notes seriously. After they course, comparatively, has already sprung up; had planded the start they got into a hakow native companies have recently been formed in with plying for hite at prohibited hours. They boat and made off. As they were leaving, one warious parts of Japan with the object of orof the fishermen fired a of the of musket shots ganizing a steamer coasting service; and there Bar, the ancient ledgers and journals of the men of this country, they would erase at least touttractattention, and thepirates boutwas pur- is likewise, a steamer service on Lake Biwa, banking house of Mesers. Child & Co. have half the offences of violence from the calendar

not entirely, conducted by the Japanese them. ber of vessels being Japanese.

extent to which, in the course, three years the use of wheeled ance bas become general. Not only in cities, but also slong the whole length of the high roads, where the nature of the country two of the seven men who came on board. In or wheeled chair drawn by one man, has been addition to the sail which was found in the introduced, and the saving of power which is boat, a bandle was found by the police a short implied by the substitution of this vehicle for distance inland containing property which had the old "kage," or litter borne on two men's been stolen from the fishermon. The jury shoulders, may be thus estimated. It requires, would thus not only have the testimony of the on an average, the labour of two men to convey fishermen themselves, but they would also have a traveller in a "kago" over thirty miles in a proof that some of the robbers had passed along | day, whereas one man is capable of drawing a the very tract prisoners and gone. If the jury like weight after him in a "jivrikisha!" over believed that prisoners were two of the men who | thirty-five miles, in like circumstances, in the sanie tima. One man with a "jinrikisha "cautherefore, do 24 times as much as opuld be done

by one man with a " kago." The cost of a day's travelli o for a Japanese in a "kago" is, I am informed: 52 bus (shilcharged. As regarded the punishment, that lings); that of a day's journey in a "jinrikisha," 3; bus. The original cost of a "jinrikisha" Another influence which may be expected to make itself felt in the course of time in Japan. is the introduction of telegraphs, but up to the Evidence to substantiate this statement was present time the introduction of the telegraph

bus by no means been attended with partly to the absence of the scuse on the part of the Japanese clerks of the necessity of punc-The Attorney General withdrew the charge to their duties, and also, to the confidence in their own powers which induces them so often to take to pieces instruments which they as often find thomselves incapable of reconstructing. Foreign machinery has, to a certain extent

though not to a large extent. been introduce into Japan, as well by private persons as to be used in mines and other establishments belonging to the Government. The demand for foreign muchinery would be greatly increased, and the consequent production of wealth in which of the prisoners cut, stab, and wound Japan greatly augmented, but for the reluctance of the Japanese to permit foreigners to carry on industrial operations on their own account in the interior of Japan. The Japanese are anxious to exclude foreigners as far as possible from competing with them, whilst at the same policy of the Government.

extra-territorial jurisdiction in Japan. to mitigate the severity of the penal laws of the Times. latter country, Many modes of punishment Defendant was sent to ten days hard labour, which Christian nations look upon as being barbarous have either been entirely abrogate or are now only applicable in a much smaller number of cases than it was formerly the law that they should be. This tendency to milder legislation applies equally to religious toleration. the edict in question may still be found stand-

girls were bound down by their parents or Another educational influence which is now actively at work in Japan and the nower of day to day, is the Native Prese that has spring

There are in Yedo the following journals: Namely, 18 newspapers, some of them pub-The three with the orestest circulation are on an average 1,500 copies are sold: The "Tokionichinichi Shimbun." a daily

The "Shinbuneashi," a daily paper, with a Of the other fifteen journals some appear was that he was travelling on a free pass, and dally, and the sale of each is about 200 copies. There is likewise a provincial Press. A postal system has likewise been organized I need only refer to one or two more indica-

Quays have, here and there, been constructed; was made privately by letter.

has already made in Japan.

Look bospitals have been introduced ateveral of the Treaty ports: conversant with the former social hierarchy of record for the distance. Japan would be almost unable to realize.

In bringing to a conclusion a Report on-Education in Japan I think I ought to point out that, whilst very many educational influences are at work, such as I have endeavoured to specify, yet it cannot reasonably be expected that the progress of newly introduced western customs and ideas should work a revolution throughout an entire race in the course of even n few years. According to all experience a sufficient-longth of time must be allowed for at least one freshly-educated generation to arise before any radical, general, and lasting change may be expected to take place in the ideas and babits of the mass of a reople. The introduction of foreign manners, us that

of foreign costume, which has come about in Japan is as yet mainly confined to members of the court, or of the official classes : the domestic and industrial habits of the bulk of the pecmain as they were in former years.

TEMPLE BAR. In prospect of the early demolition of Temple | which prevailed among the highly paid worksuch by some fishing beats and eventually they As the companies above referred to are chiefly of been for the most part removed from the the Hospital, and who the other day attempted ran ashore near Stanley. The police at Cape this year's formation, it is not within my power "chamber" over the central gateway, and from to drown himself at West Point, was again D'Aguillas had been informed of what took place. at the present time to state to what precise extitle "attic" above that again, where for the brought up, and ordered to be sent to the Tung They were on the look out, saw the boat come tent this marine has been developed; but, so far best part of 200 years they have been carefully was Hamited. preserved. We understand that as soon as serious apprehensions began to be entertained address in the Town Hall, did a notable service selves, -even the engineers on board of a name for the safety of the gateway these books, which to the Native community, by pointing out the weighed some tons, were quietly removed to a real nobility of Bhan Daji's life, and holding it Another proof of the progress of new place of scourity, thus lightening the superinideas in this country is, the astonishing cumbent pressure upon the arches below. It to follow. For the name of the deceased s almost superfluous to add that the departure of these large volumes is somewhat analogous to the proverbial cacape of rats from a ship or in threading his way through the labyrinth that is about to sink, and must be regarded as a sign that the fabric of Temple Bur is already doomed. The old ponderous gates of Temple Bar have already been removed.

REMARKABLE ESCAPE FROM

DROWNING. The River Dee was recently the scene of an extraordinary adventure. A party of ladies and gentlemen belonging to the Liverpool Choral Society and been for a trip up the Dee in bouts. When returning one of the boats. containing two gentlemen and two ladies. When making their way cautiously down the giver the party heard ories proceeding from a portion of the bank overhung by trees, but not observing anything they were about to proceed. when ories even more feeble were again beard. The boat was put towards the spot, when the reason for the cries was soon discovered. confleman was found hanging by the arm the branches of a tree, while with the other b supported the insensible form of a ladv. was head and shoulders out of the water, but his fair companion was immersed up to the neck. After considerable difficulty the pair were rescued in a state of great exhaustion indeed, bad not belp been thus afforded in the nick of time the gentleman was so benumbed and helpless that he could not longer have held on. It appeared that the gentleman, in attempting to lay hold of a branch, had fallen into the water and the lady, in attempting his resone, capsized the boat-hence their sad Restoratives having been administered the pair left for home, while their resoures hurried to Chester to outob the train for Liverpool The boat, bottom upwards, was found floating down the river .- News of the World.

DISBARRED Mr. Weightman, who, it will be remembered, was convicted at the Central Criminal Court: and sentenced by Mr. Commissioner Kerr to six months' hard labour for purloining books "the method of differences" in his scientific from the Inner Temple library some time ago, investigations, it was because he had been time, they are, as yet, incapuble of successfully bus, since his liberation from confinement, been trained to appreciate the value of European conducting many branches of industry without called upon by his Benchers to answer for his modes of working, and to apply them in his committed the wounding, and one was of opinion Yezo, immense facilities for the production of inquiry it transpired that on being released to acknowledge how deeply he was indebted to wealth are being utterly wasted owing to the from prison a check representing public sub- Western teaching, whether he bad access to it palpable mismanagement of the Japanese scriptions amounting to £600 was handed over orally or in the writings of earlier students and officials and the narrow-minded commercial to him. His Benchers, in declaring he had workers. forfeited his right to be retained on the roll of It remains true, however, that only in excep-As this jealous policy is no doubt in part | members, remarked that it was a matter of great | tional cases can the European members of the based on the conviction that, were foreigners pain to them to have to do what duty had ren- community go deeply into Oriontal studies. admitted into the interior of Japan and to take dered imperative, but while they regretted the They are only few who have the necessary leipart in industrial operations, the gains of Ja- circumstances compelling them to the decision sure at their disposal. If, therefore, science is panese merchants would be curtailed, I fear a at which they had arrived, yet they could not, to find a home in this country-if, as Mr. Sentence was deferred till Tuesday (this day.) long time will clapse ere the policy in question after the commission of a crime so derogatory West put it, India is to produce a self-sustainis likely to be reversed. It is defended by the to the honour of the profession, relax their ing civilization, the place of the European Government on the ground of their dislike to severity, but must do that which would protect pioneers must be taken by permanent residents, extend the extra territorial jurisdiction which and appoint the dignity of the Bur. After the members of the Native community, who slone, now prevails over foreigners within the Treaty centence of disbarment had been passed upon as a rule, are able sufficiently to command limits. The judicial system of Japan and him he gave notice of appeal to the Judges, but their time. There are many of them who the ways of thinking of its people are so failed to put in an appearance at the appointed might follow the example set so nobly by entirely different from those of western day; and, notwithstanding every inquiry, no Bhan Daji in toiling "ohne Hast and A. Reimeor, chief officer of the Siamese bark nations that, even were the code of laws one has since heard of him. It was runtoured ohne Rast" through many years, with Dudy charged a seamin named Bassier with set in force which is now in course of pre-that of the proceeds derived from the sale of the sole object of subtrying the domain of paration under apperintendence of some one book which he had taken be actually applied human knowledge. But it would be well that Complainant said at 4-45 p.m. he gave the French and other lawyers, it must, I think, be a portion to the sustenance of a brother barris. some encouragement were given to those who defendant some spunyage to go aloft. He went expected that many years will clapso before the ter (since dead), who, like himself, was, at the might be willing to walk in his footsteps. Japanese, us a nation, will have acquired the time of the commission of the offence, starving What is wanting is not leisure but means. For power of understanding law and administering and almost dying. Since the disclosure of the in this country it is rarely or never the rich justice which would be accepted as such by the privations endured by Mr. Weightman, a fund that devote themselves to high builture and the citizens of western nations, and, consequently has been established by all the Inns of Court parsuit of learning. Mr. West recognised this reported it to the Captain, and gave the defent before the latter would be inclined to renounce to alleviate the wants of the poorer members of when he reminded the wealthier among his the Bar, and the amount of subscriptions in anditors that learning in India often needs the

with Japan has been a very marked tendency of the boon, happily, are comparatively few. - by the class to whom they were addressed. BARON POLLOCK ON THE LAW OF still more important by the legal dicta accom- the University. But nothing has yet been panying it has just been pronounced by Baron done in Bombay toward the endowment of re-Polock at Manchester. The case was a charge search. More than ten years ago, Sir Alexanof compinity-preferred by one trade union der Grant pleaded carnestly for the endowment against certain members of another. The of chairs of enquiry, professorships of Asdefendants, who belonged to the Manchester tronomy. Philology, Indian History, Zend Self- loting Minders' Association, refused to Indian Jurisprudence, and the like; but, so far work with a man named Patrick Killion, a as we remember, no response has yet been member of a rival association, the product of a given to the appeal, with the exception of the secassion from their own, buless he became a promise of a "Wilson Philological Lecturemember of the same union as themselves. Their ship," which has not yet been established for a employers were compelled in consequence to reason in which we all rejoice. Various discharge Killion, and the phion to which he scholarships and fellowships have indeed been belonged preferred the charge in question founded in connection with the University, and against the defendants. For the defence it this is a step in the right direction; but they was urged that there was no molestation or will never benefit greatly until they are obstruction within the definition of the first followed up by something more substan law. Baron Pollock, however, renfilmed the ing bodies, having as their raison d'eire the ruling of Mr. Justice Brett in the gas-stokers' granting of certificates and degrees, which have case in the most uncompromising terms, and a definite commercial value in the eyes of beads to buy be found in the recently-promulgated counci. that is certainly somewhat startling. "It what Sir Alexander Grant was so eager to was," he said, "perfectly lawful for one man teach, that "whorever a University to say he would not ride in a particular produced discoveries and additione to know. omnibus or buy bread from a particular ledge it has been felt that that Univerthose by which in many thousands of instances baker, but if a body of men agreed toge sity deserves reproach "P and that what ther not to ride in that omnibus or not to we in Hombay ought to aim it is to encourage, guardians to serve for a stated number of years buy bread from that baker, that would be in our University, something like enquiry and an improper interference with a man's the advancement of science, so that it might sarning his livelihood. If this is good law, it become on authority on those questions of is clear that the farmers of the Eastern Coun- science which can be investigated with pecuties are indictable for conspiracy. They are a liar advantage in this country." All this no body of men who have agreed together not to doubt seemed completely utopian when it was employ certain labourers, and though it would first spoken; but in reviewing the career of a be perfectly lawful for one of them to refuse to man like Bhan Dail, it becomes evident that employ them, it is an illegal act according to signal service to the cause of original investi-Baron Pollock's ruling for them to combine for gation might most fittingly be rendered even this purpose. The decision is capable of further by an Indian University. We are not plead application in a new direction. We understand ing for wealth as the reward of scientific rethat a well-known London firm has been obliged search, but only for a competence, which would to discontinue supplying the Civil Service Co- enable those whose tastes and talents lie operative Association, in consequence of the in that direction to prosecute their studies retail dealers in the articles which the firm without anxiety regarding the provision for supplies having combined together to withdraw material wants. Purely scientific study, howtheir oustom from the firm unless they discon- ever important to the welfare of mankind, is tinne their dealings with the Co-operative integrally unremunerative, and stands in need Association. These dealers, it would seem from therefore of the belo which the wealthy oun Baron Pollock's ruling, are also liable to indict-

A phaeton and ponies have been presented of research, which could best be effected in A system of lighthouses has been established to the Duchess of Hamilton as a wedding gift connection with the University, would not extended along the antire circuit of the cousts of |. The Scotowan says that, in accordance with her | penditure; and there could be no worthier perladyship's understood wish, the presentation | petuation of the memory of Bhau Daji pa a man-

mont for conspiracy. Pall Mall Gasette.

GREAT BIOYOLE RACE Recently a bioyole ruce, from Bath to Ken-A mint is in operation at Osaka, under the sington, 100 miles, for the constaincy and subadmirable management of Major Kinder, at captaincy of the Middlesex Bicycle Club, comwhich the total number of pieces passed for menced in the Bath Market-place, the compe-issue last year was 28,151,206, and the real titors being Messre. Pearce, Leaver, Goulding. or nominal value, 29,154,688 dollars, showing Percy, Cyne, Spencer, and Walker. The an increase on the previous year of 10,647,228 diameter of the driving wheels varied from 45 in the number of coins, and the increase, in to 52 inches. The first six miles of the race, value, 8,076,022 dollars; and whilst, on the one | which was over a capital road, were done in a hand, the custom of wearing arms on the part | very short space of time. At Newbury, which of the two-sworded class has so fur been dis- is about midway, the first two riders to arrive continued that, in the course of a long walk in were Walker and Type. Here the wheel of Yedo or in that of a long drive in at least many, Tyne's machine collapsed, making him loss two if not in all; parts of the country, only about | hours in the first ball of the race. He went on two persons wearing the sword are generally to lagain, but was quite out of the running. The be met with; on the other hand, the social con- race was won by Mr. Walker, of the Middlesex sideration of the merchant, in comparison with Biovole Club, who started at ten minutes past that of the formerly privileged classes, has been five a.m., and strived at Kensington at fifteen raised to an extent which those who were minutes past three p.m .- the greatest speed on

EXCESSIVE DRINKING. n charging the grand jury at Leeds Assizes Mr. Justico Denman said he found a very large number of cases of manslaughter; showing, he was sorry to say, a great amount of recklessuess and disregard for the sanctity of human life, He found, too, that they generally arose from the borrible habit of drinking to excess, and this was the only hopeful sign in connection with the cases; he said hopeful, because if unything could be done to reduce the vice of drinking to excess orime of this class would be reduced enormously. Ho might mention, as illustrating the connection between excessive drinking and manslaughter, that he had found at a Liverpool Assize that of thirteen offences of violence for trial there was not one which was not directly attributable to accessive drinking; therefore if there bud been none in

panelaughter. It was the same here. If they erased from existence the excessive drinking

NATIVES OF INDIA AS MEN OF (Times of India.)

Mr. Justice West, in his able and high toned up as un example for his younger countrymen scholar is honoured among us, not because he of ancient Indian dynastics; but because be lived the life of a true man of science, loving and pursuing knowledge for its own sake, quite apart from the material rewards which tho acquisition of it might bring. And, as Mr. West truly observed, there are few Europeans in India who can hope to lead a life of this kind. The men who come to this country from the West, come with their work already carved out for them, almost each day having its allotted task: and with hardly an exception, therefore they find themselves unable, however willing they may be, to devote themselves to scientific study with that single deserves but demands. It should be remem-

bered, indeed, to the credit of Anglo-Indians, that there have been illustrious exceptions: men like Colebrook, and Brinsep, and Horaco Wilson, with others of lesser name, who have made leisure to study and illustrate the li eraare and antiquities of the country in which their life work lay. And a glance at the contributions to our mientific journals—such a the Indian Antiquary, and those issued by the Asiatic Societies-will show that Englishmen are still leading the way in Oriental study and research. Both in the frequency and in the mportance of their contributions on Indian aubjects, European scholars have bitherto left their putive fellow-workers far behind in be race. But the example which they set is now being worthily followed up, in many different quarters; and Bhau Duji was probably the most distinguished of the new race of native scholars who are content to walk in the paths opened out for them, by European teachers. For we cannot forget that the methods of research which Bhau Daii practised so diligently and successfully were essentially Western in their character. Richly endowed as he was with natural gifts, he unquestionably owed much of his peouliar fame to the distinctly European training and culture which he enjoyed, and which he knew so well how to utilize. If he understood how to employ

The defendant denied the charged, and said In the meantime it is grutifying to know that hand or contributed is very large, the fund kind of support which they are able to give. one result of the intercourse of western nations being continually added to, while the recipients We trust that his words will not be forgotten Many of them have already done much to promote the cause of education among their countrymen, and a few have contributed munifi-A decision important in itself, and rendered of the higher scholarship in connection with

give. But practical life so completely outbids in attractiveness the pursuit of knowledge for Its own take, that the number of those who STRAINING SWEETNESS. Kissing through a would choose the latter would always be extremely limited. And therefore the endowment

sed coast of the aborigines. Another report. that the Japanese Commander had made treatics with all the tribes but one, seems equally sturdy islanders.

cool reply.

Government against a section of its own terri. The young Khivan had an audience of the Grand tory, or what it claims as such. We do not Vizier on the day after his arrival at the Porte, know if there is any truth in this report, but it is likely enough to be true, since Russia, with the regularity of fate, moves in its conquests eastward and southward. The northern Colossus will bear no acts of China or other Asiatio nation which can be interpreted into an obstruction of her course of conquest in that direction. Bokara and Khiva are only steps, pretty long ones, but yet only steps in this, her. determined upon juruey. If now she can manage to have China involved with Japan on the east, while she assails her on the north and west, an Imperial slice of the Colestial Kingdom. would necessarily be exacted to repay the costs war. The Kingdom and Empire of Ghengis Kahn is passing away, or soon will be,-Alla

HOW MACAULAY STOLE A WATCH IN THE COLISEUM Well, Mucaulay was at Rome when he was quite a young man-before he was celebrated in a large cloak brushed past him rather rudely, stolen his watch as he brushed past him; rushthe coliar demanded his watch. Now, Macaulay | Lord Cairns in the Albert, which he intended could at that time speak very little Italian, and to follow. understood none when spoken. So he was obliged to limit his attack on the thief to a violent shaking of him by the collar and an angly repetition of the demand, "Orologio! which Macaulay understood not one syllable, kinds. But be again administered a severe shaking to his captive, stamping his foot angrily on the pround, and again vooifersting "Orologio! On LONDON. orologio!" Whereupon the detected thief drew forth the watch and handed it to his captor. Macaulay, satisfied with his prowess. turned on his heel as he pocketed the watch, and saw nothing more of the man. But when he returned to his apartment at night, his land. lady met him at the door, holding out something in her hand, and saying : "Oh, sir, you left your watch on the table, so I thought it On SHANGHAL .better to take cure of it. Here it is." "Good gracious! What is this, then? What is the meaning of it?" stammered Macaulay, drawing from his pocket the watch he had so gallantly recovered in the Coliseum. It was a watch he Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares. 7 had never seen before. The truth was plain; he had been the thief! The poor man he had Union Insurance Society of Canton, new shares so violently attacked and apostrophized in the darkness and solitude of the Coliseum arches China Traders Insurance Company's Shares had been terrified into surrendering his own watch to the resolute ruffian who, he perceived, China and Japan Marine Insurance-Tls. 85 had pursued him to rob him. The next morning Macaulay, not a little crestfallen, hastened

said old Templeman, finishing his story,

watch again, THE PREVALENCE OF BETTING IN ENGLAND. account of the extent to which betting customs prevail in England, even among the higher classes: Dickens' household characters have always horrified Americans because they "play at whist for sixpenny corners," and though they play the best they know how, and become as excited over the game as they would if the stakes were thousands of dollars, I only wish the inordinate desire to gamble did not go any further. But even the ladies-the best in the land-bet upon borse-races, know the names and pedigrees of horses, and go to the races quite regularly. Two out of three of the men of London have betting memorandum-books in their pockets continually, and are always ready to take the "market odds" on or against any future event. Jim Smiley's bero is no caricature in England. The best journals, like the Times, the Morning Post, and the Pall Mall Gaselle, loster this thirst for gambling by loong to travelling trader quoting the odds against "racing fixtures every day in the year. This subject is not a very inviting one, but as I have bud so much to my about betting, it seems only natural to describe briefly the modus operandi, which is vitally different from the American system of is always run by three-year-olds, and the nominations or entries are declared by their. owners a year in advance, and sometimes two rears. The race is commonly run the last UHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSU-Wednesday in May, and betting is in order on the first of June for the next Derby. Now, suppose there are two hundred entries, and there are often many more than that. As the book-maker never backs borses, but always lays against them, it is obvious that if he wagers 200 to 1 against every entry, he cannot lose allowed by this Agency on risks to ports in any money, as only one horse can win. But no CHINA JAPAN, the PHILIPPINES, and student of this difficult language absolutely resuch odds are ever given. Besides, how many the STRAITS.

On risks to all other ports, the brokerage will cations and equivalents of different words which owners paying "balf forfelt"; how many die or have legs broken, or turn out worthless! At the last Derby 28 horses started, and it was a large "field," though more than 200 were entered for the race. Bets are not " off" when a horse is "acratched" or dies. The backer loses, and pays his money, because the casuality is one of the contingencies which induces the bookmaker to offer long odds. As the day for the race approaches these odds are continually shortened, because the chances for accidents are diminished so that at the "start" it is impossible to get more than ten to one on any PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY animal. Your readers will, therefore, son what a "tremendous pull" the book-maker always bas at his command.

The national debt of the United States was upon insurances effected with this Company. diminished during July by 1,283,860 dollars. The total amount on the lat of August was .2141.804.381 dollars.

BRINDISI Col. Stuart, of the British army, in a book Mr. Consul Grant, in his report for 1873, entitled "Reminiscences of a Soldier," tells this says that Brindisi has become the most importanecdote :-- When a subultern at Gibraltar, he ant port of call in the Adriatic for the mail was one day on gnard with another officer, who stoamers of several nations, and it is undoubtedunfortunately fell down a precipies four hun- ly the most convenient one, owing to its dred feet high and was killed. Now, my non- geographical situation, fine harbour, and quay military readers should understand that in the accommodation. The shipping now consists guard reports there is a small addendum, viz : almost ontirely of mail steamers. Of 709 "N.B.—Nothing extraordinary since guard mounting;" the meaning of which is that in case anything particular should occur, the officer commanding the guard is bound to mention it. Our friend, however, said nothing about the accident that had occurred to his brother officer; and some hours after the brigade in 5,624 less than in the preceding year. This major came to his quarters, on the part of the falling off in the passenger traffic is accounted officer commanding with the report in his land. officer commanding, with the report in his hand for by the quarantines which were established to demand an explanation. The brigade major, in all directions during the latter part of the addressing him, said: "You say, sir, in your year.—Pall Mall Gazette.

HORSE AND OAB . An accident of a most unusual character sir," replied B I dinna think there's ony. occurred to a horse and can which was standing thing extraordinary in it ava; if he'd foun down under the bridge of the Charing cross Railway, a precipice four hundred feet high and no been where it crosses the York-road, Lambeth. The killed, I should ha'e thought it very extraordinational taking fright at a train passing over the pary indeed, and wad ha'e put it down in my bridge dashed off at a terrific pace, and fouling report." I fancy the brigade major's hair must the kerb, after going about 50 yards, rushed have stood on end while he listened to this frantically over the palings in front of one of the houses, and there bung suspended. The traces were cut, and the horse allowed to fall to POSSIBLE AND PROBABLE ORIENTAL | the bottom of the area, from which he was

rescued after a lapse of some three hours, by The reports that reached here not long since to the effect that the Japanese had retired from their operations against the tribes of Formosa upon receiving the protests of China, with a strange to relate, the horse broke no bones, the promise or enquerement that the latter pation of the railings and windows no harm was done.

Strange to relate, the horse broke no bones, the promise or enquerement that the latter pation of the railings and windows no harm was done. would deal with the Formosans, appear not to some severe cuts on the thighs and hind have been well founded. On the contrary, the fetlooks. Although he walked rather "gingerly," latest reports are that the Jups are clearing the he appeared little the worse for the accident.

· A KHIVAN VISITOR. .A correspondent of the Globe writing from wide of the mark. In this connection it may be Constantinople, says that amongst the latest considered that the Formosa tribes are merely noteworthy strangers who have visited this savages, with whom treaties would have no city is Atadjian Khan, brother of the Khan of binding effects longer than the power of the Khiva, who arrived on the 2nd August from Japanese should be in sight. That China has Tiffie. This Central Asian prince, who is only declared war against the Japanese we do not 23 years of age, was proclaimed reigning soverbelieve. She is in no condition for a foreign eign ad interim of the Khanate after the enwar, nor for one at home, even. A brush with tranca of the Russians into Khiva and the the hardy Japa would soon teach her, if any- flight of the Khan, his brother, but he exercised thing can teach her, that her pig tailed children, that power for three weeks only, when peace and all their ideas and warlike arms and arma. was concluded and the elder Khan returned to ments, would be like the whipped bubbles of a bis capital. Tiffis was then assigned as a resicustard, before the Japanese iron-clade and dence to the younger brother by the Russian Government, and he has now come as a tourist Almost with the news-if it may be taken to see Constantinople. Atadjian Khan, who as news, which is doubtful-comes another wears the uniform of a Russian officer, is a report that Russia is about to declare war guest in Stamboul of the Bokhariote Hadi against Ubina because of some act of the latter Suleyman Effendi, Sheik of the Usbeg dervishes

THE EUROPEAN SOCIETY'S ARBITRA Lord Romilly, with Mr. F. S. Reilly as assessor, sat on the morning of the 3rd ulto... at the Arbitration rooms. Westminster chambers, and heard the arguments in the following cases :- Mr. H. M. Jackson, Q.C., applied on behalf of the Bath Hospital, to be allowed to prove for a policy for £300, which gnaranteed the fidelity of a servent of the hospital, who dishonestly appropriated part of the fauds of the institution intrusted to his care. The arguments turned entirely upon the technical construction of a clause of the Act which established the fund, and without calling on Mr Higgins, Q.C., who represented the liquidators, his lordship decided that the hospital could no claim against the reserved fund, and that the claim could only rank against the general assets of the European Society.—Benjamin Smith's at all, you know-and, one night, he came here | case wasa claim against the Householders' Comto do just what we are doing. Well, he was all pany, which was amalgamated with the Engby himself under those dark arches, where it is I lish and Irish Society, and ultimately absorbed as black as night, when all of a sudden a man by the European, on the ground that he had never released the shareholders of the Houseas Macaulay thought, and passed on into the holders' from their engagements; but the darkness. Macaulay's first impulse was to clasp arbitrator, after hearing the arguments, decided his hand to his watch pocket, and sure enough that there had been a novation, and there was, he found that his watch was not there. He therefore, no occasion to wind up the Houselooked after the man, who he doubted not bad holders' Company. He thought the onse was similar to Tebbet's, which he had decided at the ed after him, overtook him; and seizing him by last sitting, and was covered by the decision of

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. -Suprember 21st, Evening. Patna, \$5771 to \$580; and high numbers, \$585 orologio!" The man thus attacked poured to \$5874; Benares, \$550 to \$5521; Malwa, \$595 forth a torrent of rapidly-spoken words, of cash; and \$560 on credit; Market quiet for all

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THE above Granite-floored DOCK has lately been LENGTHENED to 400 feet over all, and is now capable of receiving vessels up to 380 feet on the keel. The breadth of the Dock at the bottom is 40 feet, at the top 80 feet, and the width at the entrance is 56 feet. Depth of water on the sill 18 feet at average neap, and 17 feet at average spring tides.
The Dock has a Caisson Gate, and is pumped

out by steam. A new FOUNDRY for large iron and brase onetings has recently been added. The Machine Shop contains a 12 inch Scruw Dry Godowns are on the premises, available for stowage of cargo, &c.

A large stock of Timber, Metal, and other Dock yard Material always on hand Vessels docked for examination, remetalled, resparred, repairs also done in harbour; and iron ships and steamers cleaned and painted, at moderate charges. Particulars can be obtained at the Dock, or on application to the under- General Post Office, The Steam Tug Woosung is in thorough

working order, and is available at all times to

tow vessels to or from sea, at reasonable rates. JOHN FORSTER & Co. If 1039 Foocbow, 18th June, 1873. NOTICE. N Order to meet the wishes of the Native viz -Community, the Chinese Issue this

Paper has been, from the commencement of the China New Year, issued DAILY instead of on alternate days as before. The Paper has been Established for nearly Twenty Years, and is, as to Editorial Management, under the Direction of a Well Educated and eight cente for every additional four ounces. Obinese Gentleman; gives reliable commercial These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Price and general information, and has the same Lists, Market Reports, and all printed papers position with the Native Community as to Ad- other than Newspapers, as well as to Books vertisements and News as the English Daily and Trade Patterns or Samples. From with the Foreign Community. The Charge for Advertisements will be as hereto-Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874.

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will close. For Saigon,-Per Legislator, to-day, the 22nd For Swatew, Amoy, and Foodbow,-Per Douglas, to-day, the 22nd instant, at 11.30 A.M., instead of at the time previously notified. For Amoy. Por Flintshire, to day, the 22nd instant, at 11.30 A M. For Manila. - Per Lizzis H., to-day, the 22nd instant, at 3.30 p.m. For Munila, Per Loonor, to-morrow, the 23rd inst., at 11:80 A.M. For Swatow, Amoy, Tameni, and Tukao.-Per Hailoong, to-morrow, the 23rd instant, at For Singapore and Penang.—Per Namoa, to-morrow, the 28rd instant, at 230 P.M.

day, the 25th instant, at 8.30 P.M. MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET! The English Contract Packet" BOKHARA," will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 26th inst. st noon. Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted

For Manila. - Per Maria y Vicenta, on Fri-

until 5 P.M. on the 25th instant. The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on ha 25th instant. Letters, &c., may be postedduring the night in the bex left open for their reception. Letters for registration will be received until Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 26th instant, without late fee. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 26th

instant, will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee of 18 cents each as well us the postage, is prepaid. The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is Il A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 26th instant. Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vid Brindisi, or to Sin-gapore, may be posted on heard the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition

to the postage. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 14th September, 1874.

It is hereby notified for general information. that henceforward the Postago on Letters ad-Uressed to Russia, when marked to be forwarded via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents per half-quace. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster-General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 18th September, 1872.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 28 cents, per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge m delivery. F. W. MITOHELL,

Posimaster General. General Post-Office. Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will henceforward be 86 cents for each balf ounce, which may either be paid in advance, or it may be left to he collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery. F. W. MITCHELL

Posimaster General.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 34 cents Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge F. W. MITCHELL.

· Postmaster General

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having given notice to the General Fost Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties, the undersigned considers it necessary to make this Regulation known to the Public, and to state that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post are liable, with their contents, to be forfeited. - f -w. mitchell....-

Honmaster Gerenal General Post-Office. Hongkong, 2nd January, 1873.

When forwarded via 1 28

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Newfoundland, which must be paid in advance, will be as follows. viz. :--When forwarded via 34 cents each 1-ounce. When forwarded via 2 34 Marseilles.....

Southampton..... Postmaster. General Sentral Post-Office, Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified that a line of British Mail Contract Packets has been established between Aden and Zanzibar, which, with connecting lines, will afford a regular means of conveyange of correspondence from Hongkong for the foreign ports on the East African Coast, as well as for Natal and the Cape Colony, St. Helens and Ascension, and that henceforward the postage, which must be paid in advance, on letters addressed to Zanzibar, Mosambique, Delagoa Bay, Natal, the Cape of Good Hope, and Ascension, will be 20 cents for each half-ounce, newspapers 2 cents each.

Postmaster General General Post-Office. Hongkong, 12th May, 1873.

It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to France may be sent either paid or unpaid at the option of the sender; but the postage on Prices Current, Newspapers and Books cannot . be prepaid For each & ounce

F. W. MITCHELL

The rate of postage chargeable on Letters addressed to France per Franch Packet is...... 12 dents. Per British Packet when marked via Por British Packet when marked via _-F._W_MITCHELL._ Posimaster General.

General Post-Office, Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872.

Arrangements having been made under which Mails for London arriving at Sucz from China by Private Ships will be forwarded to destination via Brindisi, it is hereby notified Outling Gap-lathe, Small Lathes, Drilling and that the rates of postage, which must be paid in Screwing Machines, Steam Saw Mill Large advance, on correspondence addressed to the Borewing Machines, Steam Saw Mill, Large United Kingdom so forwarded, will be se follows, viz.:--For Newspapers,..... 8 ,, each. Inot exceeding lounce 4 cents.

> F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General. Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

For Books and

Patterns

It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance. chargeable on Packets of printed papers or patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom by the United States, Puckets via San Francisco, will be as follows

every additional 4 ... 12

For a packet not exceeding I ounce in weight...... 2 centa For a packet above 1 onnce not ex-For a packet above 2 cunces not ex deeding 4 ounces...... B

Postmaster General General Post Office. Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

Extracts. pears the following paragraph, showing that matter cannot be carried further. "What love you?" saked a maidete fair, With soft blue eyes and chestnut hear, "What love you most on earth?" i scarcely-knew how to reply, Gozed on her face, then on the sky. And said, "Love, Wine, and Mirth." I said, "I love a maid like you, With eyes like skies when skies are blue, And not one cloud appears-The surect and the pate young moon, A vine-bower on a sunny noon, With rain-drops tipped, like tears. 'I love a pretty face like thine, And eyes that have a demy shine, And merry laughing lips: Calm nights in Inna, when o'er the hill The image of the moon, so still, Into the river dins! "I love soft music when it dies, The perfumed zephyr when it sighs Among the clover-flowersand purify itself in consider how severe To talk beneath the hawthern shade Of love to some true-hearted maid. labour blunts the edge of every mind, and In summer evening hours? how the discomforts of poverty in a Scotch climate shall-cripple-genius and what a seda-'-And-love and music, mirth, and wing, tive it must be to the imagination—nay, how And all rare beauties such as thine, So noble and so charter much nearer even the pleasures of his rank My arm but for a moment thrown must lead to sottishness than to elegance and Around what I might call my own, wit-and then see what a victory mind has A young and slender waist!" over matter." "Now love or wine? which like you best? The maiden asked: I soon confessed, And answered, nothing loth: The popularity of archery as a skilled re-The while my arm around her twined-Thy beauty brightens both !

PUNISHING SCOLDS.

quarrelsome Glasgow bodies were bound

over to keep the peace, on pain of being

Chester presents Walton with a bridle

BRIGHTON PAST AND PRESENT.

· flowers, and narrow scarves pinned tightly

round their shapely figures, but who looked.

beauties of the present day. I can remember,

enjoy a quiet hour on the beach or es-

planade. Ah! what a different Brighton it

must have been in those days to what it

enlargement has gotten hold of the dear old

reviewing bas driven it mad: and the

Aquarium and Octopus have finished the

job. It thinks of nothing now but building:

its unhappy residents live on brick-dust and

I have lived in Brighton at various times

Journal.

creative exercise dates from the latter part of the last century. Its revival occurred thus: -About the year 1776 one Mr. Wating, who lived with Sir Ashton Lever at Leicester House, became, by reason of too close ap-A German dame who let her tongue was plication to the desk, afflicted with a serious too freely about her neighbours, used to be pulmonary complaint, which defied the united exertions and skill of the most eminent compelled to stand upon a block in the market-place, with a heavy stone dangling physicians of the time to remove. His case from her neck, shaped either like a bottle, a was considered hopeless, when he fortunately loaf, an oval dish, or representing a woman bethought himself to have recourse to the putting out her tongue; unless she happened low. He tried it, and in the result his to be rich enough to buy, permission to ex- hopes were more than realised. A few days, change the shameful stope for a bag of hops exercise with the bow produced a marked tied-round-with red ribbon. In 1637 a woman | change for the better, and in a short time he | Subscribed Capital, of Sandwich, in Kent, venturing to take li- entirely recovered his health, and attributed Co-insures with French Lloyd, Paris, \$1,400,000 berties with the good name of Mrs. "Md- his cure solely to the constant and regular yoress," had to walk through the streets of practice of archery. Thereupon Sir Ashton the town, preceded by a mantinkling a small Lever took to the use of the bow on his bell, bearing an old broom upon her shoulder. own account; he was quickly and eagerly from the end of which dangled a wooden joined by others, and presently they met mortar. Staffordshire scolds did not get off regularly for practice in the grounds of so easily. They had to follow the bell. Leicester House, and called themselves man until they showed unmistakable signs Toxophilities. This is the origin of repentance, debarred from giving any the now celebrated Toxophilite Soone a bit of their mind by the branks, ciety which holds its meetings in the scolds' bridle, an ingenious arrangement Inner Circle of the Regent's Park. The metal - hoops contrived to clasp great success of the Royal Toxophilite the head and the neck firmly, while the Society, in whose contests George IV. (who padlock-behind-remained-locked, while a had practised in the gardens at Leicester spiked plate pressed upon the tongue, so as House), William IV., the late Prince Coneffectually to preclude its owner making any | sort, and the Prince of Wales have competed, use of it. The branks, however, was not led to the formation of numerous other peculiar to Staffordshire; it was in use in societies. - Gentleman's Magazine. Scotland centuries ago. In 1574, two

The American sculptor, William Page, in "brankit" Pennant says the authorities of Langholm, in Dumfriesshire, always kept the new statue of Shakespeare on which he one in readiness for immediate use, and plenty has been engaged, has made use of photoof specimens are yet to be seen in different graphs of a certain plaster cast supposed to places in England. One preserved at have been taken from the poet's face after

IS THERE A DEATH MASK OF

SHAKESPEARE?

Walton-on-Thames is of thin iron, with a death, and now existing in Germany. About less terrible bit than that of the Staffordshire this death-mask, as it has been called, a good branks, being only a piece of flat iron some deal has been heard from time to time, until two inches long, to keep the wearer's tongue at last it becomes important to determine, if quiet by simple pressure. This instrument possible, whether it has any claims to aubears the date of 1633 on an inscription thenticity—in other words, whether it is of the slightest possible value?

The evidence has been thus carefully summarized : The death-mask, alleged to be that couplet explained by a story of a Mr. of Shakespeare, is in the possession of Dr. Chester losing an estate through a mischief. Ernest Becker, private secretary to the making woman's tongue, and commemorat. Princess Alice of Hesse-Darmstadt. This is ing his loss by presenting Walton with its its story. Dr. Becker had a brother, Ludwig RISKS. scold's bridle. Dr. Plot, the Staffordshire Becker, an artist, who in 1847 bought at look upon it," says he, "as much to be pre-painting which had been in the possession upon the current local rates will be allowed on Charlotte Andrews Place ferred to the cucking stool, which not only of the count's family for over a century, all premium charged for insurance; such dis-Orinke. Brock gives the tongue liberty twixt every dip, to Shakespeare. This represents the head of a of policy. neither of which this is liable; it being such man, dead, crowned with a wreath, resting on bridle for the tongue as not only quite a pillow, the bedelothes being just seen fold- 1y 1 Hongkong, 1st January, 1874. deprives them of speech, but brings shame ed over the breast so as to leave revealed the for the transgression, and humility there- shirt in which the body is clothed: It bears upon, before it is taken off."—Chambers' | conspicuously the date A.D. 1637. Now, as Shakespeare died in 1616 the inference was that this picture was a copy of an earlier one or that the artist had wrought from another portrait or from a death-mask. Inquiry showed that a plaster cast of some kind had for a period extending over fifteen years. been in the possession of the Kesselstadt may therefore be supposed to know somefamily; but had been treated with little conthing about it. I remember Hove (now sideration, and what had become of it no on designated by the cockney term of Cliftonville) when it was separated from Brighton knew. Ludwig Becker was strongly imby a long line of corn fields, rich in golden pressed with the idea of getting possession -grain, and besprinkled with the blust and of it, spent two years of fruitless search and the scarlet poppy. I remember when to inquiry, and at length, "in 1840, discovered visit Preston was to dive into the country, the lost relic in a broker's shop in Mayence, and ramble for miles between quickset among rags and articles of the meanest dehedges, set with the wild rose and bramble scription." The mask and the picture bear

flower. I remember when the chain-pier a striking resemblance the one to the other. (poor, seedy, old chain-pier, deserted now by | Very naturally the finding of the cast every one but nursemaids and children) was created some sensation, and people began the fashionable rendezvous for the beaux and to ask-is there evidence of any member of belles of the London season, come down to the Kesselstadt family having been in Eng-Brighton to recover their faded roses and land in or about the time of Shakespeare lost muscle—belles who dressed their hair | death? No; there is no such evidence. in long curls, or bandeaux over their ears, nothing beyond an hypothesis put ferth by and wore large bonnets filled with full-blown | Ludwig Becker, that some such member might have come over here in the reign of. James I., might have found people doubtless, quite as sweet and fascinating in talking much of the dead poet, might have craved for a memorial of him. their (now) old lashioned costume as the high-heeled, high-haired, bigh-bonneted and brought the cast from Gerard Johnsou, who made the bust at Stratford-on-Avon, and carried the precious relic back to too, when Kemp Town was a name, and his own country. Is there let us ask the Rottingdean a long way off, and one could alightest probability in such a suggestion; drive with safety on the King's Road, and Phat Shakespeare was thought more of by his contemporaries than people have been in the habit of supposing is now established beyond all doubt; but his death did no The mania for improvement and create a national sensation, and the chances are that, even granting the existence o The Grand Hotel and the New Pier this hypothetical Keiselstadt and his visit to have affected its brain, much Volunteer London, he would hardly have heard of him. much less have taken the pains to carry off such a relic. The theory has no weight whatever; and thus we are left wholly with mortar, which fly in at their open windows out even conjectural evidence as to how the and mingle with their food and drink mask got into Germany. Then comes the From the crown of its head to the sole of its | query-in the absence of anything historical foot there is no whole part in it; as soon as what proof is there that the mask ever had it is cured in one place it crupts in another, anything to do with Shakespeare? In a and still the bad blood has to be carried off. word, there is no proof. What is urged as and still the bad blood day to be carried out. Iron Duke It has Cliftonville and Prestonville, and proof simply amounts to this, that there are IHE Undersigned having been appointed Kontrel. Montpelierville, and soon it will have Patch. figures on the back of the cast which show amville, and Hendonville, and Horsham hat it was taken in 1616, and there is adville, and by-and-by the whole of Susser hering to the plaster a hair or two, proved to will be insufficient to contain its need be human, of a lightish reddish hoe, such as Brills' Baths will extend to Rottingdean on that of the poet is said to have been. But the one hand, and the Grand Hotel to what does this amount to? Hundreds of Shorcham on the other, the Old Steine casts might have been taken of reddishwill join Hurstpierpoint, and the Aquarium haired Teutons in Germany in 1616, and must go out to sea! Well! whatever this may be one of them. We are thus thrown vagaries it may choose to indulge in, how. back entirely and absolutely on the point of even it may enlarge and vulgarise itself. likeness. Does the mask resemble anything Brighton will always be Brighton to me; and known to be Shakespearian in form. No. "Brighton with all thy faults I love thee still?" It certainly does not resemble in the least It is, however, a most remarkable fact, that, particular the Startford bust; for it gives us with all its trade, bustle, amusements, and a face long and thin, a broad forehead, a importance, it is next to impossible to find long acquiline nose, and a drooping mousleast possible amount of shade, the freshest plump, the nose short, and the moustache air, and the best shops in England. And slight and turned up. Equally foreign is it About the air and the sunshine there can be folio of 1623, the Chandos portrait that

AN EARLY VERDICT UPON BURNS, on one another. Becker's portrait has to be In the Life and Letters of Sir Gilbert Elliot, authenticated by Becker's cast, and Becker's first Earl of Minte (1751 to 1806), there ap- | cast substantiates | Becker's portrait | The Sir Gilbert was amongst the warmest and And this brings us back to Becker bimself. earliest admirers of the national bard .- 'I and the part he played in relation to the bave read about the half of Burns pooms, cast. Having got it in 1849, he brought it and am in the highest degree of admiration. over to lingland and placed it in the hands I admire and wonder at his general know. of Professor Owen, who seems to have conledge of the human character, of the man- sidered it a nobie face, and to have made the ners, merits, and defects of all ranks and of practical remark that could the wanting link many countries; the justness and also the in the chain of identity be discovered—that great liberality of his judgment; and what of a Kesselstadt having been in England is most to be stared at of all, the uncommon under circumstances favourable to his getting refinement of his mind in all his views and it into his hands—there was hardly any opinions, and the uncommon refinement of amount of money which the British Muhis mind in composition. This, I say, seems | seum authorities would not have paid for more wonderful than gentus because one is it. Further than this the professor did apt to suppose that genius, is born, refine not go. In the midst of the excitement ment only acquired. Now, granting his Becker left England-without the cast access to good books, yet consider the com- and sailed for Australia. That was in pany he has lived in, and in how much worse 1850. Ten years later, without having than total solitude his mind has had to work troubled himself about his treasure in the meantime, he joined as naturalist the grand expedition across the Australian continent. under the guidance of Burke and Wells, and died of scurvy in the midst of the unfortunate party, only one of whom survived, on the 24th of April 1861. After the news of his death; Professor Owen returned the cast to the representative of his family, 'Dr. Ernest Backer, who now has it in his possession at Bermetadt. This is, condisely stated, history of the so-called Shakespeare death-mask, as set

orth in a secont inonogaph outhe subj and it will, we imagine, be a still cient an swer to the question with which we set out-Is there known to be in chistence a plaster cast of the face of Shakespeare? To far as premium contributed. proof goes, we may confidently assert the no such cast is known to exist. Insurances. THE SWISS LLOYDS TRANSPORT INSURANCE COMPANY, WINTERTHUR. •

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VOUEL HAGEDORN & Co., 1043 Hongkong, 1st September, 1874. YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL NOTICE.

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endangers the health of the party, but also and which was regarded as a portrait of count being deducted at the time of the issue Comet -COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE

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CAPITAL TWO MILLION STEELING. Agent for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, Midge o the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or ou loods stored therein... EDWARD NORTON & Co. 11 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

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Hongkong, Ist November, 1871.

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